

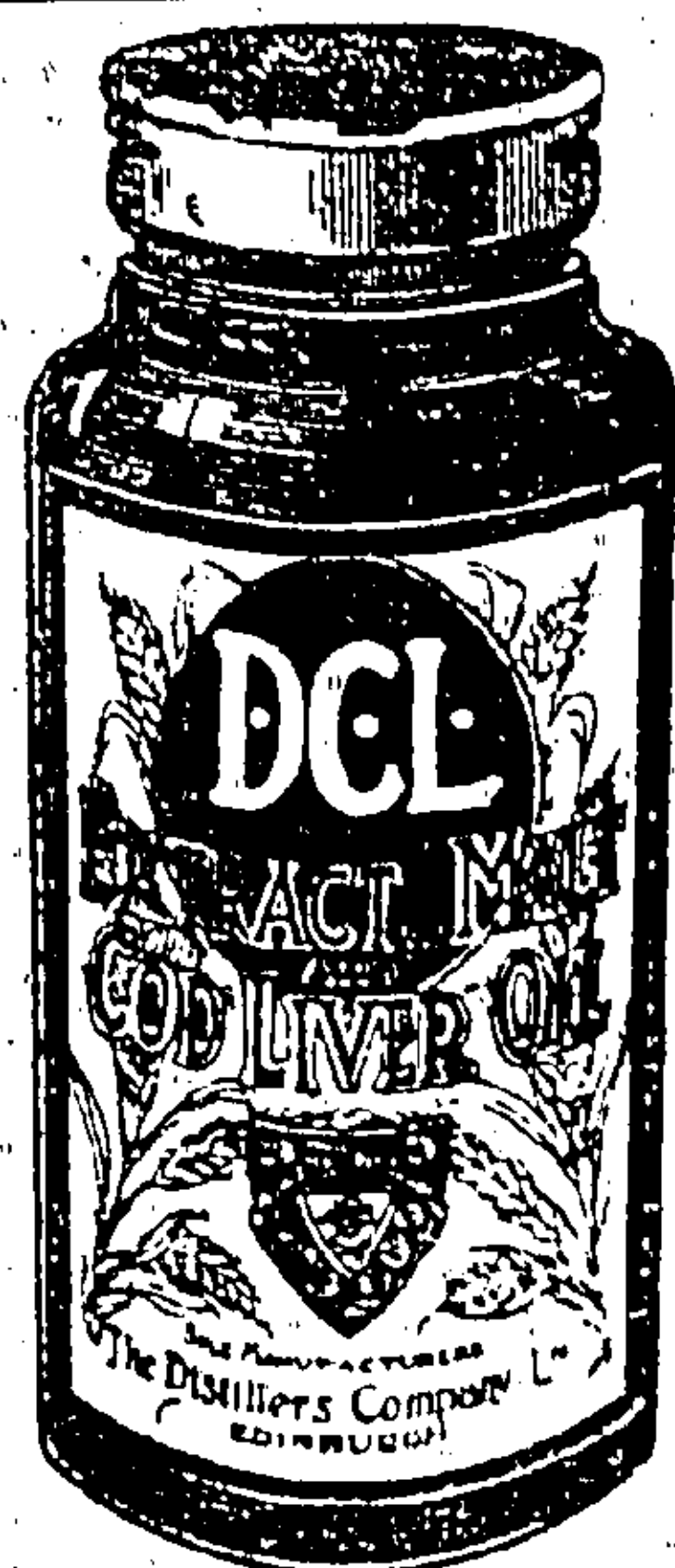
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LOCAL SPORT.

FOOTBALL.

Saturday's games resulted as under—

LAI WAH COMPETITION.
Royal Navy, 2; South China, 2.
HONGKONG LEAGUE.

Division II. "A."
H.K. Club Reserves, 2; East Surrey's Drums, 2.

Kowloon Reserves, 2; St. Joseph's, 1.
Division II. "B."

St. Joseph's Boarders, 4; South China "B", 1.
St. Joseph's Reserves, 2; Moslem Club "B", 0.

South China, "C", 3; East Surrey's Drums Reserves, 1.
FRIENDLY.

Kowloon, 3; H.M.S. "Hermes", 2.

ROYAL NAVY v. SOUTH CHINA.

A record crowd witnessed this game on the Club ground. The game was the first of a series in the Lai Wah Cup Competition which is played on the Cup-tie system and as the result was a draw of two goals all, these teams will have to meet again in the replay at an early date to enable the Navy to see the competition through before the ships begin to leave early in the year. For should the latter be successful in the replay they will have to meet the winners of the Army v. Civilian match which is scheduled to take place on December 19th.

The South China team soon settled down to the attack, but the Navy half back line held them in check. Smith called upon Lau Hing Cheung to clear from a ground shot and Shenton had a shot turned out by Ng Kam Chuen. Shooting was not good. The Navy forced the first corner but South China got the ball away. Grindle almost let his side down early in the game, but Wright cleared. Uppington on the right wing was doing good work in the open but was out of shooting form for he made several good openings but failed with his first effort. Suen beating the backs raced through but passed too far forward and Wavish came out and cleared. After a visit by the Navy, Suen came through on his own but Wright cleared from almost the goal line when Wavish was beaten. The Navy were the first to score. Uppington ended up a fine run down the wing, by centre and the South China defence misjudging the flight of the ball, left Smith unmarked in front of goal and the Navy player turned the ball into the net amidst cheers from the Navy supporters. Scarcely had the cheering died porters. Suen Kam Shun taking the ball from a pass by Chan Kwong Lu and beating Wavish with a fine cross shot, which brought forth applause from the thousands of Chinese present. With the score one all, both teams put forth strenuous efforts for the lead and football was of a very high standard. Corners fell to both sides and Wavish and Lau Hing Cheung were kept busy in their respective goals. Uppington had a good opening to give the Navy the lead but sent outside the posts from close range. At the other end, Suen was always dangerous and Wavish picked up from some fast ground shots. The South China team took the lead, following a free kick, the ball being dropped in the goal-mouth, the players getting mixed up and the ball landed in the net. Wong Pak Cheung was heartily greeted by his fellow players as he turned the ball away from Wavish who was well placed to clear. This success was well received and before play could be resumed the whistle sounded for the interval with South China leading by two goals to one.

The Navy got away with a dash when the second half opened and Lau was soon called upon to defend. Goodlett and Shenton sending in shots. A corner fell to South China and Leung Yuk Tong dropped the ball a foot in front of the goal. Wavish getting his hands to it and Hudson kicking to touch. Wong Shiu Wa cleared from a centre by Shenton and Hudson returned wide. Lau cleared from a header by South China then got working and Chan sent over from the wing. Wavish coming out fell after he had gathered the ball but managed to clear. Chan sent in again and Grindle relieved. Lau Hing Cheung was called upon by Hyde to clear and at the other end Suen again tested Wavish. The game continued fast and even. Lau Hing Cheung, clearing from Goodlett, threw the ball out to the right and Davenport returned to centre where Goodlett sent the ball into the net much to the delight of the Navy supporters. With the score two goals all and fifteen minutes to go, it appeared to be anyone's game. The game favoured South China for a few minutes then it turned in favour of the Navy. Both sides held out until the final whistle sounded when the score was two goals all, a fitting result to one of the best games seen on the Club ground this season.

The teams:—
Royal Navy.—Wavish, Grindle and Wright; Davenport, Hudson and Hingston; Uppington, Hyde, Goodlett, Smith and Shenton.
South China.—Lau Hing Cheung; Ng Kam Chuen and Chan So; Leung Yuk Tong, Wong Shiu Wa and Lam Yuk Ying; Pang Kam Wing, Leung Kam Tak, Wong Pak Cheung, Shuen Kam Shun and Chan Kwong Lu.
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KOWLOON RESERVES v. ST. JOSEPH'S.

This game was played on the Navy ground and ended in a win for Kowloon by two goals to one. Hyde was very safe at back and the Kowloon left wing could make little progress. Ward opened the score for St. Joseph's who led at the interval by a goal to nil.

Kowloon took up the attack on resuming and for a time put the College on the defensive. Latham eventually netting with a somewhat lucky shot. Urquhart and Brown working hard kept the St. Joseph's attack well under and before the final whistle sounded, Vickers had scored the winning goal for Kowloon.

H.K. CLUB RESERVES v. EAST SURREY'S DRUMS.

At one time on the South China ground during the progress of the game between the above teams, the Club Reserves were leading by two clear goals. Hill was the first to score, beating Bayard after ten minutes' play. Pile put the Club further ahead and then Muffett scored for the Drums. At the interval, the Club were leading by two goals to one. Before the final whistle sounded the Surrey's Drums were awarded a penalty and Hutchings, taking the kick, beat Slipper making the score two goals all.

ST. JOSEPH'S BOARDERS v. SOUTH CHINA "B."

This game was played on the Sookun-poo ground and ended in a win for the Boarders by four goals to one. At the interval the Boarders were leading by four clear goals. E. Blanco (2), A. Blanco and M. Souza having scored. In the second half South China netted through Tang Shiu Hung.

SOUTH CHINA "O" v. SURREY'S DRUMS RESERVES.

Owing to a misunderstanding, the "C" team arrived late for this game on the Club ground and it was 3.0 p.m. when it started. The crowd were clamouring at the time to get into the stands in view of the senior game to follow and little interest was taken in the opening half of the game in which period the South China team had scored twice without any reply from the Drums Reserves. After the change of ends, Coates scored for the Drums and before the final whistle sounded, South China netted again. The scorers for South China were—Leung Cheong (2) and Tin Lip Fat.

ST. JOSEPH'S RESERVES v. MOSLEM CLUB "B."

On the St. Joseph's ground the home team beat the Moslem Club by two clear goals. Houghton scored for St. Joseph's during the first half and Castilho netted during the second half.

"KOWLOON" v. "HERMES."

Kowloon arranged a practice game with H.M.S. "Hermes" on the Railway ground and won by the old goal in five. Wheeler, Simms and Linaker scoring for the home team.

SURREY'S CUP FINAL.

The final of the 1st East Surrey Regiment football competition for the "Montague-Bates" Platoon Challenge Cup was played on the Murray Barracks ground on Saturday afternoon.

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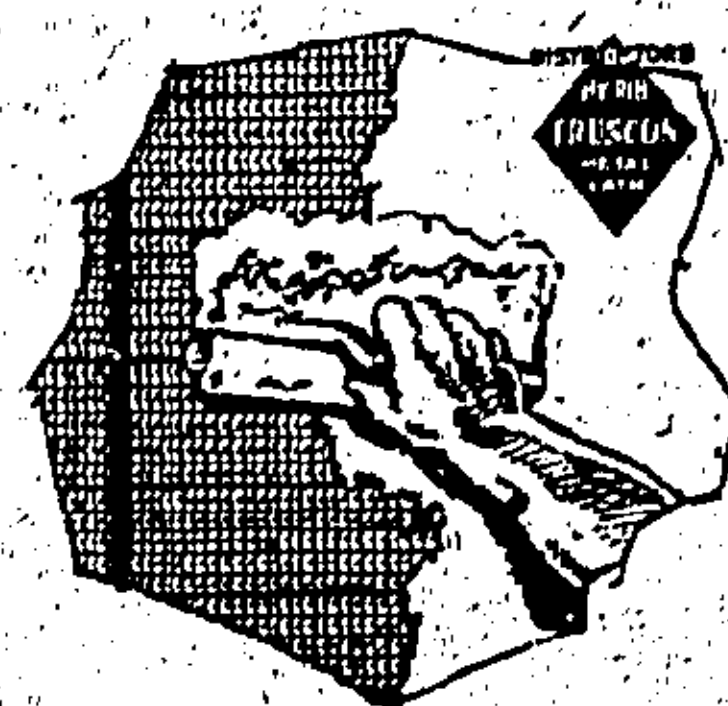
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SATURDAY'S CRICKET.

DOUBLES FOR KOWLOON C.C. AND NAVY.

The feature of Saturday's cricket was the double win for the Kowloon C.C. and the Royal Navy in first and second league games. The Kowloon C.C. defeated the Chinese R.C. and the Police, and the Navy beat the Indian R.C. and the Civil Service C.C.

LEAGUE—DIVISION I.

I.R.C. v. ROYAL NAVY.

Playing at Sookunpoo, the Royal Navy defeated the Indians by 50 runs and a wicket in hand. The Indians scored 194 runs, H. D. Rumjahn contributing 33 not out. O. Ismail was the best bowler, with 4 for 38.

The Navy knocked up 107 runs for the loss of two wickets, and another four wickets brought the score to a tie. The score eventually totalled 163 for nine wickets. Mid. Stephenson scored 60, Lt. Hussey 42 and Lt. Sillitoe 29 not out. Lt. Sillitoe also took two wickets for four runs.

Scores:—

I.R.C.

A. H. Rumjahn, c Beatty, b Woodward	1
A. H. Madar, b Cantrell	23
O. Ismail, c Beatty, b Cantrell	0
A. el Arculli, b Cantrell	7
J. S. A. Curreen, c Beatty, b Cantrell	13
S. H. Ismail, c Abelson, b Woodward	7
H. D. Rumjahn, not out	33
S. A. Ismail, c Armitage, b Cantrell	9
U. M. Omar, c Sillitoe, b Woodward	8
N. B. Kitchell, c Stephenson	17
F. M. el Arculli, c and b Sillitoe	8
Extras	8
Total	194

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Cantrell	20	6	38	5
Woodward	18	3	65	3
Beatty	8	1	19	0
Sillitoe	2.5	0	4	2

ROYAL NAVY.

Lt. Hussey, b Omar	42
Lt. Comdr. Hunot, c H. D. Rumjahn, b F. M. el Arculli	5
Mid. Stephenson, c H. D. Rumjahn, b O. Ismail	60
Lt. Cdr. Armitage, c H. D. Rumjahn, b F. M. el Arculli	4
Lt. Abelson, c and b O. Ismail	8
Lt. Nicholson, c Kitchell, b Ismail	1
Lt. Wanchope, c Omar, b F. M. el Arculli	0
Lt. Sillitoe, not out	29
Lt. Comdr. Woodward, st. S. A. Ismail, b O. Ismail	9
Lt. Beatty, not out	2
Lt. Col. Cantrell, b F. M. el Arculli	9
Extras	9
Total (for 9 wickets)	174

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
F. M. el Arculli	13	2	56	4
A. el Arculli	4	0	30	0
Madar	4	0	25	0
Omar	3	0	18	1
O. Ismail	7	1	36	4

C.R.C. v. K.C.C.

Playing against the Chinese R.C. at Causeway Bay, the Kowloon C.C. won comfortably. They declared with 163 runs for seven wickets. The C.R.C. men were all dismissed for 145 runs.

Scores:—

K.C.C.

A. W. Ramsay, b Ching	17
F. Goodwin, b Youngs	30
Capt. E. W. Morris, c Chon, b Ching	0
Major A. Pollard, b Ching	23
Capt. E. A. Walters, c Ching, b Hung	2
R. E. Lindell, b Hung	0
J. C. Lyle, c and b Hung	11
K. R. Macaskill, not out	23
S. Jex, not out	23
Extras	23
Total (for 7 wks, dec.)	163

H. Overy and R. J. P. Masters did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
W. Hung	7	1	42	3
Ching	14	2	63	3
Youngs	8	1	32	1

C.R.C.

Ng Sze Kwong, b Goodwin	5
C. Chon, b Goodwin	0
W. O. Hung, b Morris	51
A. L. Youngs, c and b Goodwin	10
Cheng Kwok Wah, b Goodwin	4
K. L. Chau, b Morris	17
H. L. Lim, run out	0
H. C. Hung, not out	34
C. E. Wong, b Lyle	5
H. Ching, c Jex, b Goodwin	6
A. Tse, c Walters, b Lyle	1
Extras	10
Total	145

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Goodwin	13	1	46	5
Lyle	13	2	42	2
Morris	7	0	44	2

LEAGUE—DIVISION II.

ROYAL NAVY v. C.S.C.C.

Playing at home, the Civil Service C.C. "A" team lost to the Royal Navy 2nd XI by 23 runs.

For the visitors Lt. Emley scored 53 and for the C.S.C.C. Hawkins scored 30. Strange took two wickets for 2 runs, and Pay-Lt. Allen for the Navy took four wickets for 20 runs.

Scores:—

ROYAL NAVY 2ND XI.

Lt. Emley, c Westlake, b Strange	53
Lt. Comdr. Bower, b Spillett	18
Lt. Hayter, b Edmonds	3
Lt. Mansergh, b.w. b Spillett	2
Sub-Lt. Duncan, b Edmonds	2
Mid. Dickens, b.w. b Edmonds	8
Mid. Simms, c Lawrence, b Edmonds	11
Eng. Lt. Bennett, b Patterson, b Edmonds	1
Lt. Conway, not out	1
Pay-Lt. Allen, b.w. b Edmonds	9
Pay-Lt. Nave, hit wicket, b Strange	1
Extras	13
Total	128

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Edmonds	13	3	46	8
Spillett	6	1	37	2
Westlake	4	0	29	0
Strange	2.1	1	2	2

C.S.C.C. "A."

H. F. Harper, b Emley	16
C. H. Beardsall, b Bennett	0
F. E. Lawrence, b Bennett	0
H. E. Strange, b Allen	20
H. F. Westlake, b Allen	0
B. C. K. Hawkins, c Duncan, b Hayter	30
S. B. Spillett, not out	15
T. W. Carr, b Hayter	11
E. A. Bastin, b.w. b Bennett	0
R. S. W. Patterson, b Allen	0
W. H. Edmonds, b.w. b Allen	0
Extras	8
Total	103

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bennett	11	3	46	3
Allen	13	7	20	4
Emley	4	1	13	1
Hayter	3	0	19	2

K.C.C. v. P.R.C.

Playing at Kowloon, the Police R.C. lost to the Kowloon C.C. The home side declared with 141 runs for seven wickets, and the Police were all out for 86.

Scores:—

K.C.C.

H. Parsons, b Robertson	10
G. Lee, c King, b Lacey	17
J. E. Hancock, b Lacey	0
B. Petheram, b Meadows	14
A. R. F. Raven, st. Reynolds, b Robertson	66
F. W. Howell, b Robertson	13
A. A. Dand, not out	13
D. S. Green, b Robertson	2
C. T. Evans, not out	2
Extras	9
Total (for 7 wks, dec.)	141

W. F. J. Gorvin and H. G. Hallam did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lacey	13	1	57	2
Robertson	11	0	43	4
Noonan	3	0	12	0
Meadows	3	0	20	1

P.R.C.

Meadows, b Lee	21
Spartow, c Hancock, b Gorvin	16
Clarke, b Howell	10
T. L. King, c Hancock, b Lee	4
Lacey, b Howell	0
Noonan, c Dand, b Howell	0
Reynolds, run out	2
Capt. Bloxham, c and b Gorvin	23
Baker, b.w. b Gorvin	11
Baker, hit wicket, b Gorvin	4
Dyer, not out	3
Extras	3
Total	86

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gorvin	9	2	31	4
Petheram	9	2	28	0
Lee	7	1	13	2
Hancock	3	0	7	0
Howell	5	2	14	3

FRIENDLY GAMES.

H.K.C.C. v. C.S.C.C.

Playing at home, the H.K.C.C. defeated the Civil Service C.C. by 57 runs. For the visitors G. R. Sayer was the top scorer with 34 runs. For the Club Rev. E. K. Quick took 2 wickets for 5 runs. Both J. D. Humphreys and E. H. G. C. strong scored 37 each for the H.K.C.C. For the visitors, the best bowler was G. R. Sayer, who took 2 wickets for 12 runs. The H.K.C.C. scored 140, and the visitors 83.

Scores:—

C.S.C.C.

G. R. Sayer, c Hayward, b Lammer	34
F. J. de Rome, b.w. b Bowker	17
A. E. Wood, c Hancock, b Bowker	3
E. C. Fincher, c Ralph, b Quick	4
B. D. Evans, c Hayward, b Powell	10
H. G. Wallington, b Quick	2
E. W. Hamilton, not out	17
F. Baker, b Lammer	0
T. E. Pearce, b Lammer	0
E. B. Reed, b.w. b Powell	1
F. J. Ling, run out	3
Extras	1
Total	83

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bowker	11	2	28	2
Lammer	11	2	32	2
Rev. Quick	8	4	5	2
Rev. Powell	1	1	17	2

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Royal Navy	4	2	2	0 8
University	3	2	1	0 7
H.K.C.C.	3	1	2	0 5
R.A.	3	1	0	1 3
Civil Service	2	0	2	0 2
Indian R.C.	2	0	2	0 2
East Surreys	1	0	2	0 1
Craigengower	1	0	1	0 1
Chinese R.C.	1	0	0	1 0
DIVISION II.				
	P.	W.	D.	L. PTS.
K.C.C. 2nd	4	3	1	0 10
I.R.C. 2nd	5	2	0	3 6
H.K.C.C. 2nd	3	1	2	0 5
Navy 2nd	2	1	1	0 4
Police	3	1	1	1 4
C.S.C.C. "A"	3	0	1	2 1
"Varsity" 2nd	2	0	0	2 0
R.E.	0	0	0	0 0

On the Craigengower C.C. ground, the Hongkong C.C. 2nd XI defeated the home team by 31 runs. The visitors scored 125, and the home side 91. For the visitors A. K. Mackenzie scored 30, and for the C.C.C. E. Fincher scored 34. Abbas for the C.C.C. took 4 of the visitors for 48 runs, while Fincher captured the same number for 38 runs. Bowling against the home club Vallack at the cost of 33 runs took 5 wickets and Parker 4 for 9 runs.

A friendly game was played on the U.S.R.C. ground, Kowloon, on Saturday, between teams from the Navy and the Hongkong Hockey Club. The Navy won by 2 goals to nil.

The game was unexciting. The scorers for the Navy were Lieut. Fleet and Hill.

All entrants were weighed in on H.M.S. Ambrose yesterday, and have to be at the Murray Barracks by 5.45 p.m. to-day to be medically examined.

The charge for admission will be \$1, with the exception for the Services who will be admitted free.

Below we give the corrected positions in the Hongkong Cricket League following the week-end matches.

It will be noticed that in the First Division, Kowloon and the Royal Navy are level on points with the same number of matches played, won and drawn. The University, who have postponed their League fixtures on account of the examinations now in progress, have played one game less and are only one point behind.

In the Second Division, the K.C.C. 2nd XI have an advantage of four points over the I.R.C. 2nd XI and also have one match in hand.

CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP.

It is expected that the games in connection with the open Chess Championship of the Colony, to be played under the auspices of the Kowloon Chess Club, will begin this week. The competition is not to be played on the knock-out system, but each competitor will meet all others and therefore the games should afford plenty of interest, despite the small number of entries received.

A prize is to be presented to the winner of the tournament. Mr. H. W. Ray, winner of the last Championship held, has offered a challenge cup.

POSITION IN SWATOW.

GENERAL CHIANG KAI SHEK'S ADVICE TO THE EXTREMISTS.
ATTEMPT TO SECURE CONTROL OF MISSIONARY INSTITUTIONS.

CURIOUS AMERICAN ATTITUDE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SWATOW, November 24th.

Since I last wrote you, a fortnight ago, there has been no important change in the general situation. Labour and strike organisations, however, appear to be enlarging their field of operations with the idea of taking over all educational institutions under foreign control. The declared object is to eliminate all foreign interest and influence in the schools and to place them entirely in the hands of the Chinese. Chiu Un Lai, the Chief Director of Civil Government, who, as far as one can gather, is a man inspired with a bitter hatred of Christianity, is the moving spirit in this new enterprise.

Those primarily affected by this suggested transfer of control from foreign to Chinese hands are the English Presbyterian Mission and the American missionary bodies. The Presbyterian Mission are protesting against it, but if the Rev. Jacob Speicher is correctly reported in the Chinese vernacular papers, and if he can be considered as the spokesman of the American Missionary Community, it would seem that the American missionaries acquiesce in the plans now formulated or, at any rate, regard them with a certain measure of complaisance. This is how Mr. Speicher is reported in the Swatow *Tien Sheng Pao* of November 22nd:—

"Mayor Tang Kou Meng interviewed by the newspaper's representative on the subject of education said: 'I am taking back the administration of schools from missionary management. Many foreign controlled institutions in Swatow are soon to be municipalized by the Mayorality. Continuing on this subject, the Mayor remarked: 'I had a talk on the matter recently with an American named Speicher. He seemed to have full sympathy with me and regarded the recall of educational control as really feasible. In addition to this he has sent three representatives to see me to ask for directions about the surrender. The sincerity on the part of Americans in regard to this matter is here adequately illustrated. Since this is so as far as Americans are concerned there is no reason why we cannot anticipate a similar attitude being maintained by other nationals.'"

More might be written on this subject, but for the present I am content to indicate the thin edge of a wedge which, if driven home, will result in the collapse of all foreign educational institutions in this district.

GENERAL CHIANG KAI SHEK.

You will observe from the attached notes that General Chiang Kai Shek has been trying to curb and moderate the local extremists. When they met to consider how they might bring greater pressure to bear on the British in Swatow he sent a representative to calm them down. His reason was that the Hongkong Government is now in consultation with delegates from Canton.

JAPANESE SHIPPING.

You will recall that I reported early in November that Japanese vessels coming from Hongkong were not allowed to discharge cargo or passengers in Swatow. Two days ago the Strike Committee went a step further. They now refuse to allow any vessel to discharge or load cargo and passengers if, during the course of her voyage, homeward or outward,

she touches Hongkong. This measure amounts to a complete boycott of O.S.K. vessels calling at Swatow in the course of their regular run Kéelung, Hongkong and Peking. The Japanese Consul is still arguing with the Authorities but so far unsuccessfully.

BRITISH STEAMERS.

At least one British vessel should call in here each week, preferably one up from and one down to Hongkong, and we trust Messrs. Douglas LaPrak, Messrs. Butterfield & Swire and Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., will come to some arrangement which will make this possible.

VARIOUS ITEMS.

The following items of news were circulating among the Chinese community on the dates mentioned. They are more than mere rumours and I give them in order to show the general trend of affairs. November 14th: The Authorities have presented to the local Chamber of Commerce demands totalling \$1,000,000 for military expenses. The military authorities decided on the issue of \$3,000,000 worth of notes for circulation in Swatow and district. A printing office received an order to print such notes.

Strikers and Labour Unions generally were extremely alarmed over a rumour that General Chiang Kai Shek intended to recruit men from among their ranks, turning strikers into soldiers. Guilds and Union membership lists are said to have been depleted on account of heavy withdrawals.

November 18th: The Japanese steamer *Nanyo Maru* which recently arrived here from Canton brought about 400 officials for various civil and military posts in Swatow. This vessel was chartered by the Company which also acts as agents for the Russian Volunteer Fleet, and they propose to run her between Canton, Swatow and Singapore, omitting Hongkong—only one or two Russians are now left in Swatow, the others having returned to Canton.

November 21st: The procession which the Strikers and Labour Unions proposed to hold on November 27th or 28th has been cancelled. Instead there will be a presentation of silk flags and silver medals by General Chiang Kai Shek to various Committees and Guilds, which have done him honour.

At a mass meeting organised by the General Strike Committee on November 18th, called to discuss further measures against the British in Swatow, a representative of General Chiang Kai Shek stated that he was requested by the General to advise them not to take any further steps against the British because delegates from the Canton Government and the Hongkong Government were negotiating about the termination of the strike and boycott.

It is reported that the military authorities here and the Fukien militarists have reached some agreement whereby the former will not invade Fukien. It is stated that, in consequence, all the Whampoa Cadets will shortly be sent to Canton.

BUYING A STRIPE.

CHINESE HAVILDAR MAJOR COURT-MARTIALED.

Havildar Major Chiu Chu Fat, a Hakka Chinese of the 40th Company, Royal Engineers (native personnel), appeared before a District Court-Martial at Wellington Barracks, on Saturday, when he was charged with "receiving a valuable consideration in respect of a promotion." The alleged offence was in respect of agromotion from Lance to Corporal.

Major J. F. Drake, 1st East Surrey Regiment, was President. Other members of the Court were Captain J. W. McCurdy, R.A., and Lieut. J. H. Smith, M.C., R.A. Lieut. A. J. L. Whyte, R.E., prosecuted and Mr. L. D. Turner defended.

Corporal Gore, R.E., said that Naik Leung Tai had complained to him about accused wanting money on the Naik receiving a gratuity at the end of October, the Naik told witness that the Havildar Major would lead him a dog's life if money was not paid.

Acting C.S.M. Pitt said: On November 28th Naik Leung Tai reported to him that accused had demanded \$50 for getting

WOUNDED WITH A CHOPPER.

CHINESE WOMAN'S ALLEGED ATTACK ON COMPANION.

At the Central Magistracy on Saturday, before Mr. B. E. Lindsell, a Chinese woman charged with wounding another Chinese woman with whom she had been living, pleaded that she did not remember anything about the occurrence.

Inspector Grant stated that it was alleged that the defendant inflicted a severe gash with a chopper over the left eye of her companion. The injured woman, added the Inspector, although still in hospital was in no danger.

The defendant informed His Worship that at the time of the alleged incident she was suffering from an attack of dizziness and had no recollection of what she did with the chopper.

His Worship adjourned the case for one week.

him the second stripe; that morning \$20 had been paid. Witness asked the Naik if there were witnesses and the Naik replied that he had five. Accordingly witness reported to the officer commanding the company.

The case was adjourned.

THE CANTON DELEGATION.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

(FROM OUR CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.)

So far as they are yet announced, the responsible delegation to represent Canton in the conversations with a similarly authorised body from Hongkong with a view to ending the present boycott and strike comprises Messrs. Wang Ching Wei, Tom Ping Shan, and Chan Kung Pok, of the Kuomintang Central Executive Committee; Mr. Tang Chung Hah, of the Chinese Labour National Committee; Messrs. Soo Shiu Tsing, Tseng Tre Yam, and Chan Kum Chin, of the Canton-Hongkong Committee; Messrs. Leung Tso Kwong, Fung King, and Yeung Wen Kwong, of the Hongkong Strike Committee; and Messrs. Chang Hing Wang and Lee Foh Shang, of the Shamen Chinese Labour League.

Mr. Yeung Sai Ngam and Mr. Kan Kum Shek, of Canton, who have been doing preliminary work connected with bringing the Canton and the Hongkong Chinese merchants to agree on a formal conversation, will arrange for the delegations from the two ports to meet.

[These two gentlemen came down to Hongkong on Saturday, presumably to arrange the details of the coming meeting of the Canton delegation with the delegation appointed by the Hongkong Government.—Ed.]

AFTER 35 YEARS.

POLICE OFFICER'S UNIQUE RECORD.

PRESENTATION TO MR. J. KERR, A.S.P.

Mr. J. Kerr, who holds the unique distinction in Hongkong of having joined as a constable and retired on pension as Assistant Superintendent of Police, leaves this week for Australia, after 35 years' service in the Hongkong Police Force.

On Saturday morning in the Inspector's Room at Police Headquarters, a presentation of two cut glass bowls, a spirit kettle, a cake stand and two sweet dishes, was made to Mr. Kerr, by the members of the Police Recreation Club.

Mr. P. P. J. WOODHOUSE, O.I.E., in making the presentation said that Mr. Kerr was one of the oldest, if not actually the oldest member of the Police Recreation Club. In 1891 he and a few others started a small Club in Kowloon, and a few years later, the Police Club was founded, and Mr. Kerr had always been one of its mainstays. At one time, he was one of the Club's best bowlers.

Referring to Mr. Kerr's career in the Force, Mr. Woodhouse said that he had just completed 35 years' service. His career was unique in that he was the first to have joined as a constable and be pensioned as Assistant Superintendent. From 1915 to 1923 Mr. Kerr was Chief Inspector, and he carried out his duties with tact and firmness. He was, moreover, a man of considerable human sympathy and unflinching good temper, and was one of the most popular men in the Force. (Applause.)

"I have known Mr. Kerr for 24 years," continued Mr. Woodhouse, "and I have never known him to be 'rattled.' It gives me great pleasure to make this presentation to Mr. Kerr as I have known him so long. Mr. Kerr and Mrs. Kerr are to settle down in Australia where they have the good fortune already to have a house and they will thus be spared the bother of house rent. (Laughter.) It is our hope that they will both live for many years to enjoy a well-earned pension. Judging by the look of Mr. Kerr he is good for a 100 at least. (Laughter.) With our very good wishes to you both I ask you to accept this small memento." (Applause.)

Mr. Kerr, on behalf of himself and his wife, thanked his colleagues for the handsome gifts and the sentiments of good-will expressed. If any of the members of the force ever came to Australia, he could assure them of a hearty welcome at his home.

The health of Mr. and Mrs. Kerr was toasted by the gathering.

NEW MASTER AT QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

The *Yellow Dragon*, the College Magazine says:—Queen's College is under new management; the Crook régime has begun. Since the Government Central School, the forerunner of Queen's College, was opened in 1883 four other men have held the reins of Government here, Dr. Stewart 1883-1881, Dr. Bateson-Wright 1881-1890, Mr. T. K. Dealy 1900-1919, and Mr. B. Tanner 1918-1925. Of these Dr. Bateson-Wright is still alive and well in England, and, as we know, Mr. Tanner is bound tighter. And now comes Mr. Crook. Our new Head needs no introduction to the present or past pupils. It was in January, 1903, that Mr. Crook commenced duties here as a junior master and, with the exception of a brief spell when he was headmaster of Yaumatei School, he has been attached to this school ever since. With staff, pupils, and former pupils Mr. Crook's popularity has rivalled that of Mr. Tanner, which means that it has always hovered round about the hundred per cent mark. We hope and predict that his period of Headship at Queen's will be a happy and prosperous one.

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CHINESE RECREATION CLUB.

YESTERDAY'S ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the members of the Chinese Recreation Club was held yesterday afternoon at the Club house, Causeway Bay, Mr. Ng Sze Kwong presiding.

The annual report was presented and from it the following extracts are taken:

Membership.—Up to April 1925, our total membership was 418, including 116 life members, 214 ordinary members, 43 output members, and 9 honorary members. During the period, i.e., 1924-April 1925, 73 members joined, 3 rejoined, 13 resigned and 2 died.

Club House.—The steady increase of membership necessitated the extension of the Club House. An annex was built providing a bigger dressing room, more storage accommodation, an office for the Secretary and servants' quarters. Hot and cold shower baths and flush toilets were installed, and in addition to the above, 67 new lockers were made for the general convenience of members. The plans were drawn by Mr. H. Way, to whom we owe a deep debt of gratitude.

Ground.—Owing to a great influx of new members six courts had to be regularly opened and consequently the ground was not in as good a condition as it should be. The N.E. corner of the ground was re-turfed so as to allow more courts to be used.

TENNIS.

We entered three teams for the H.K. Tennis League, 1st Division, Second Division A and B. The Senior team did not always turn out in full strength and consequently did not do well. Second Division A again won the shield. We congratulate the team on its success.

In the Open Championship Singles of the Colony, Mr. Ng Sze Kwong, Champion for the last seven years, yielded his title to Honda, who defeated him, but not until after a series of "ding-dong" battles, for the match had to be replayed twice. The brothers Lo Man Kam and Lo Man Wei were the runners-up in the Open Championship Doubles.

We congratulate Ho Ka Lau on his becoming the Champion of the Club and also on his being selected to represent China in the Far Eastern Olympic games held at Manila.

We thank the following gentlemen for presenting the Challenge Cups: Mr. Ho Kwong for the Singles and Mr. Wong Kam Fook for the Doubles.

CRICKET.

We entered only one team and that for the First Division and came out last but one. This was not so bad as it looked, for the matches played were real tussles and there were some exciting finishes. In this department our greatest lack is new blood. With practically all the schools turning their attention to football and tennis, the grand old game is set aside, and consequently our club has suffered for want of new players. We appeal to the school-masters of the Colony to revive interest in the wielding of the willow among their charges.

OBITUARY.

We regret to have to record the death of Chan Pui, our sheriff. He was one of the pillars of the club, having served it ever since its foundation 1912. As a recognition of his long and faithful services, a sum of about 400 dollars was subscribed by the members for the bereaved family. Accounts.—Our financial position is again very sound.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

The following committee was appointed:—Yew Mau Tsun, Mok Hing Chin, Mok Lin, Ho Ka Lau, Ng Sze Kwong, Chao Po Min, Cheung Wing Kue, H. Ching, Cheung, U Pui, Chen Kwong Yan, Mok Hing Cheung, Lau Fuk Ki, Leung Kam Kong, Ho Wai Hing, K. L. Chau, and Wong Hin Wan.

It was decided to, in future, hold the annual meeting on the first Sunday in March each year.

MARINE COURT CASES.

At the Marine Court on Saturday, the following cases were disposed of by Lieut.-Commander G. F. Hole, R.N.:

The master of a cargo boat was fined \$5, or five days' hard labour in default, for mooring his boat inshore at a distance of less than 100 yards from low water mark.

The master of a trading junk was fined \$15, with the alternative of two weeks' hard labour, for failing to exhibit regulation lights on his craft while under way.

For a similar offence, the mistress of a passenger boat was fined \$3, or three days' hard labour in default.

The mistress of another passenger boat was fined \$3, with three days' hard labour in default, for carrying twenty passengers in excess of the number allowed by her passenger licence.

Another paragraph in the Magazine says:—

In a letter from Mr. Tanner, which had been penned before he reached Singapore is the following:—

"Saturday's was a royal send off and so greatly impressed the other passengers that they left me in isolated grandeur until I went out of my way to speak to them. In addition to myself there is only one Englishman on board, the others are either Japanese, Chinese, Portuguese, Dutch, Danes, Norwegians, Finns, or Swedes. The place is simply littered with children—dozens of them—and each doing its best all day and most of the night to howl down the others. Thank Goodness most of them leave at Singapore."

From this the College Magazine thinks it safe to conjecture that Mr. Tanner is not at present contemplating matrimony.

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ADMISSION—21. SERVICES FREE.

All Entrants should be at MURRAY BARRACKS on MONDAY, at 5.45 p.m. to be Medically Examined. [2926]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'S STEAMER. "KASGAR."

ARRIVED HONGKONG on 28th Nov. 1925.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, GIBRALTAR, MARSHALLS, MALTA, PORT SAID, ADEN, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns and Kowloon Wharf, where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed. Optional Goods will be landed here unless Instructions have been given to the contrary Six hours before arrival of the Steamer. Goods not cleared within 8 days, including date of arrival will be subject to Rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Gossard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage Period. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 18th December, 1925, or they will not be recognized. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MAORINNON, MAORINNON & CO., Agents. Hongkong, 28th November, 1925. [2925]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD. AND CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer. "EUBYBATES" are hereby notified that the Cargo having arrived per s.s. "LIXION" from Singapore will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will be at Consignees' risk and subject to the conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 26th November, 1925.

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 26th November, 1925. [2921]

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 26th November, 1925. [2920]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

"ELLERMAN" LINE. FROM EUROPE.

THE Steamship "CITY OF CAIRO" having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by her are informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns and/or Kowloon Wharf, where Delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless Intimation is received from the Consignees before 10.00 a.m. To-day, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriter. Goods remaining unclaimed after Tuesday, the 1st December, 1925, at Noon, will be subject to Rent and Landing Charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Friday, the 4th December, 1925, or they will not be recognized.

All damaged Packages will be examined on Tuesday, the 1st December, 1925, at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Gossard & Douglas. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

THE BANK LINE, LTD., Agents. Hongkong, 26th November, 1925. [2919]

INTIMATIONS

NOTICE.

ON DECEMBER 1st, 1925, ANDERSON & ASHE, MARINE SURVEYORS, 18, Connaught Road, Central, will REMOVE their Office to 1st Floor, QUEEN'S BUILDING, Entrance CORNWALL ROAD, Hongkong, 19th November, 1925. [2889]

NOTICE.

ALICIA CRANE. LOIS ROBERTSON. ANY Person having Information which will lead to the discovery of the whereabouts of either of the above-named Persons is Requested to Communicate with—Messrs. DEACONS Solicitors, 1, Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong. [2887]

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL. SILVER LOAN 1925.

ISSUE OF DEBENTURES.

THE SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL hereby invites Applications for Debentures in the SILVER LOAN OF 1925. RATE OF INTEREST 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30th and December 31st in each year.

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Subscription on December 31st, 1925, at par, under the operation of a Sinking Fund. Debentures may, however, be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on December 31st, 1935, or on any Subsequent Date, subject to the Council giving Six Calendar Months' Notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of Partial Redemption of the Loan, the Numbers of Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by Drawing.

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THE OUTLOOK IN CHINA.

Though the news which is now reaching Peking regarding Manchuria (reported in the cables to-day) serves to "clarify" the situation, the general position nevertheless is shown to be scarcely less grave than it has been represented in previous cables based upon information that seemed to be little more than current rumour. It enables us, however, to discount the report that Marshal CHANG TAO LIN, who has for so long enjoyed the prestige of being the "uncrowned King of Manchuria," has himself been made prisoner by mutinous troops in his own capital; though the reported revolt of the powerful Mukdenite-General KRO SUNG LIN, who has been stationed at Luanchow is abundantly confirmed.

His forces, it has been stated, number approximately 100,000 men, and this gives him great numerical superiority apparently over Marshal CHANG TAO LIN. The report that Kro had already seized Mukden is seen from the latest information to have been—to say the least—premature, but it is perfectly clear that he has embarked on an effort to capture that City and to overthrow CHANG TAO LIN. It is practically certain also that the "Christian General" is behind this effort.

One significant item in to-day's cables is that General Hsu (generally known as "Little" Hsu) who is now in Tokyo, on the way back to China after several months' sojourn in Europe and America, as head of an "Economic Mission," has visited the Japanese Foreign Minister and asked Japan's assistance for the present Provisional Government. It would be interesting to know whether General Hsu was acting in this matter

with the knowledge and sanction of the Government at Peking, or whether he was making this request "off his own bat." Whether he was instructed to make the request or whether he was not, we are told that Baron SHIDEHARA emphasised Japan's intention of preserving strict neutrality.

It is to be gathered from the Tokyo message that the Japanese Government regards what is happening in Manchuria as but a side show in the great drama that is being staged in China just now, as we are told it does not expect any serious conflict in China until after the Tariff Conference "when it is feared the rival leaders will plunge China into war."

The immediate outlook would certainly seem to be one of unrelieved gloom, and he who would be cheerful needs to fall back on some such reflections as Sir GERSHOM STEWART, President of the China Association, indulged in last month. "China," he said, "is a country where the inevitable does not happen. China seems to float along, passing over the shoals and sandbanks of many difficulties, and I think the cause is the abounding common sense of the Chinese people and their good-heartedness." Unfortunately, we cannot say that the haven of peace is yet in sight.

A Chinese girl was knocked down by a motor-car in Pedder Street on Friday. Her injuries were slight.

The final batch of subscription griffins for the Hongkong Jockey Club are due either to-day or to-morrow.

Two Chinese cases of enteric fever were notified in the Colony during the 48 hours ended November 27th.

The Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, K.C., Attorney-General, who has been on Home leave, returned to the Colony on Saturday.

A China Institute has been founded in Frankfurt for the study of Far-Eastern culture, art, philosophy and economics and to propagate German literature in China.

The St. Andrew's Young Men's Club Social which was to have taken place on Friday has been postponed, on account of the death of Her Majesty Queen Alexandra, to next Friday.

The police raided a house in Tung Street on Friday under an arms warrant, arrested two of the inmates and took away a quantity of prepared opium and a number of forged labels.

The Bishop of Victoria, Hongkong, has appointed the Rev. N. V. Halward, M.C., curate of St. Saviour's, Croydon, to be his diocesan chaplain. Mr. Halward will sail for Hongkong on December 18th.

A Chinese woman, who had been staying at the Cheung Fat Boarding House on the Central Fringe, committed suicide on Friday by hanging herself with a piece of hemp rope on the verandah of the house.

Miss Pik Wen Ha, the famous Northern Chinese actress, who for the past few weeks has charmed both Chinese and European audiences in Hongkong with her clever performances left for the North on the R.M.S. *Empress of Australia*.

Among the passengers who arrived by the P. & O. *Kashgar* on Saturday from London, were Mr. H. B. L. Downington, Mrs. W. T. Featherstone and child, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Henderson and two children, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. D. Martin, and Mrs. C. C. Stark and child.

Eighty-four Chinese who took part in the Hongkong section at the Wembley Exhibition have returned to the Colony. They were met by Mr. Li Yau Chuen (chairman, Hongkong Chinese Chamber of Commerce) and Mr. T. W. Ainsworth of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs.

A Chinese watchman employed at Jardine's coal depot, was drowned as a result of a fall over the Praya Wall at East Point on Friday. It is believed that the man, who was 63, fell during an epileptic fit. He had been a chronic sufferer from epilepsy. The body was recovered by boatpeople.

Arriving by the s.s. *President Madison* on Saturday from Manila was Mrs. Armgaard Rothkirch, who came here to meet her sister, the Countess Rothkirch, who is visiting the Far East from Europe and arrived in Hongkong yesterday. Accompanying Mrs. Rothkirch were Mr. C. Ranft, agent for the N.D. Lloyd at Manila, Mrs. Ranft and Mrs. Weizheimer.

Home mail via Suez was landed by the P. & O. s.s. *Kashgar* on arrived here on Saturday morning. A total of 460 bags of letters and papers was received at the G.P.O.; 110 bags contained letters and papers from the United Kingdom (dated London, October 29th). The remainder of the mail was from Continental and Straits ports. In addition to the above, there were also 185 bags of parcels from Home landed. Yesterday the s.s. *Hang Sang* brought Home and Europe mail via Siberia and also Shanghai letters and papers. Twenty bags of the total landed were from the United Kingdom. On Saturday the P. & O. s.s. *Kalyan* left with Home mail and is due to arrive at Marseilles on Boxing Day, December 30th.

The King has made the following Foreign Office appointments:—Mr. H. Phillips, O.B.E., to be a Consul-General in his Majesty's Consular Service in the Far East; Mr. H. I. Harding, to be one of his Majesty's Consuls in China, and Mr. A. J. Martin, to be one of his Majesty's Vice-Consuls in China (July 30th).

Sir Robert Ho Tung had the honour of being received by H.R.H. the Prince of Wales at St. James's Palace on October 23rd and more recently by the Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer. Sir Robert and Lady Ho Tung have now left 45 Cadogan Gardens, and are staying at the Alexandra Hotel, Hyde Park Corner.

At a recent meeting of the North Borneo Chamber of Commerce a letter was received from the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., informing the Chamber that it had been decided to reduce the storage rate on log timber from 2 cents to 1 cent a cubic foot per month. It was resolved to write a letter to the Company thanking them for their consideration in this matter.

The *China Express and Telegraph* (London) says:—Beginning October 25th, and continuing for three days, the Hongkong Pavilion at Wembley, at which some £10,000 worth of goods have been sold to visitors this year, is holding an auction sale of the remainder, the value of which is estimated at approximately £8,000. Several thousand lots will be offered. Hongkong is the only considerable exhibit to have shut its gates before the appointed time October 31st.

In continuance of this season's training programme of the Hongkong Volunteers Defence Corps, the Engineer and Armoured Car Companies had a Field Day in the New Territory yesterday. Both companies turned out a strong muster and spent a useful and successful day on the field firing range and also engaged in various field operations and training practice. The companies left Kowloon in the morning by the 9.15 train and returned by the 5.61 p.m. train from Fanling Station.

There is a marked tendency just now, says a London paper, towards Oriental styles in the home, especially in hangings and decorations. Wallpaper motifs, all kinds of Eastern motifs, for example, Chinese or Japanese garden scenes. Others show chrysanthemum or wisteria blossoms. In certain the Chinese dragon or dragon cloud form is depicted at times. Eiderdowns have much black in them. Cushions in black show the rising sun embroidered in gold-coloured silk; others, also black, have the Chinese dragon in gold tinsel thread, with the eyes and tongue in red silk. Lampshades portray Japanese or Chinese figures and garden scenes. Chinaware is shown in bowls and vases of bright glazed self-colours, in imitation of the porcelain of the Kang-hsi period.

THE LATE QUEEN ALEXANDRA. A LOCAL JEWISH TRIBUTE.

From a sermon preached by the reader of the Ohele Leah Synagogue, in Hongkong, on Saturday, in memory of the late Queen-Mother Alexandra the following excerpt is taken:—

"She stretched out her hands to the poor and she reached forth her hands to the needy."—Proverbs xxxii. 20.

Brethren,—Can we find a more adequate text to express our thoughts and feelings to-day in memory of our Queen Mother, who passed away amidst the sorrows of her loving and faithful subjects throughout the Empire? In the prime of her life she stretched out her hands to the poor, not only to those who surrounded her; but to those in need in the remotest outposts of her dominions. She continued her charitable deeds in her old age, and up to the last moment of her life she sent out her thoughts of help in answer to the cries of woe and misery of the poor and needy. She brought the brightness of sunshine into their homes by her sweet smiles.

We human beings of limited means and power, who are overwhelmed with supplications, are quite aware of the fact that, while willing to succour those in distress, we can but fulfil the wishes and expectations of limited numbers. Our Queen Mother had charity born in her. In the depths of her heart and mind she sought the well-being of the needy, the feeble and the helpless. Undoubtedly, her work of charity was but a labour of love to her, as she practised it all her life time and had her heart and soul in her wonderful work. But is not Charity the sense of Duty performed to the voice of Conscience? The Almighty graciously placed the love of Charity and good deeds in her heart and supported her in her endeavours to make good the gentle use of His precious gifts, so that she might be allowed to reach the threshold of Death without fear and trembling, but with faith and hope. It is in this way that the righteous and virtuous approach death, leaving on this side of the grave strife and struggle and all fleeting pleasures and sorrows to find eternal rest in Heavenly arms. Our Mother Queen lived and died justly and fearlessly, and without dread of the future—closed her eyes to open them again at His Divine bidding. Let us make good and noble use of the opportunities of our lives, as did our Queen Mother.

Special prayers for the repose of the soul of the late Queen were offered.

MOTORS COLLIDE.

A collision occurred in Stubbs Road on Friday afternoon, between a Hongkong Garage car and a car owned by Mr. Fred Ellis. Damage was caused to both cars, but no one was injured.

SITUATION IN NORTH CHINA.

KUO SUNG LING ISSUES MANIFESTO DENOUNCING MARSHAL CHANG TSO LIN.

"LITTLE" HSU APPEALS TO JAPAN.

TOKYO REGARDS HAPPENINGS IN MANCHURIA AS PRELUDE TO SERIOUS CONFLICT WHEN TARIFF CONFERENCE IS CONCLUDED.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

SHANGHAI, November 29th.

General Kuo Sung Ling (formerly divisional commander in the Mukden Army, stationed at Luanchow) has issued a manifesto against Marshal Chang Tso Lin.

In the course of it, he says that it is impossible any longer to see his brothers working, suffering and fighting for nothing. But as a few persons glory in their selfish ends, so in compliance with the people's will, he is directing a military movement towards Mukden.

It is proper that he should overthrow the ruling caste at Mukden. As the minds of those brutal militarists, such as Chang Tso Lin have been especially poisoned by the cruel doctrine of militarism, he is determined to bring forth upon Manchuria a new government, so that the governed may govern themselves.

He must strive to achieve permanent peace not only in Manchuria, but in all China.

NEW POLICE CHIEF.

PEKING, November 29th.

A mandate issued last night, accepts the resignation of Mr. Chu Shen and appoints General Wei Hsiang Wu (aide-de-camp to the Chief Executive) as acting Chief of Police.

The whereabouts of Mr. Chu Shen are not known. Some people are of the opinion that he has taken refuge in the Legation Quarter.

A strong cordon of police surrounded the Legation Quarter, last evening, with the object of preventing political refugees fleeing thither.

ATTITUDE OF TOKYO.

Tokyo, November 29th.

The War Office considers that the present normal forces of one Division and four Railway Guard Battalions in Manchuria are adequate; though they will be reinforced if protection of the life and property of Japan's nationals makes it necessary.

Foreign Office despatches from Manchuria state that Japanese citizens are forming volunteer companies for self-protection, but the Government has ordered all Japanese to preserve strict neutrality.

It is reliably learned that Government does not expect any serious conflict in China until after the Tariff Conference, when it is feared that the rival leaders will plunge China into war.

STRICT NEUTRALITY.

"Little" Hsu has visited Baron Shidehara, asking Japan's assistance for the present provisional Government, but Baron Shidehara emphasised Japan's intention of preserving strict neutrality.

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.

PEKING, November 29th.

A mandate accepts the resignation of Mr. Yeh Kung Cho and appoints Mr. Kung Hsin Chan acting Minister of Communications.

COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION.

To-day's demonstration was decidedly of a communistic tendency, the students assembling being only Kuomintangites. There were also a large number of workers and ricksha and other coolies. No national flags were observable, the students carrying the Canton flag and the workers red flags. The workers were all armed with stout sticks, and accompanied by motor-cars, carrying doctors and nurses.

The demonstrators are at present parading the streets, distributing pamphlets and demanding *inter alia* the overthrow of Tuan Chi Jui, threatening to kill Chu Shen, shoot all traitors, dissolve the Tariff Conference and arm all people for a popular revolution to obtain a real National Conference.

So far there has been no violence.

FEWER STUDENTS ABOUT.

PEKING, November 29th.

This afternoon's student demonstration for the purpose of receiving Mr. Lu Chung Lin's reply to their demands, mentioned yesterday, was not so largely attended as yesterday's gathering, probably because yesterday's display of violence aroused misgiving among the more timid as to the likely consequences.

Immediate dissolution of the Tariff Conference was one slogan prominently displayed this afternoon; and the list of

MR. EUGENE CHEN.

RELEASED FROM PRISON AND NOW IN PEKING.

PEKING, November 29th.

Mr. Eugene Chen, who is reported to be in good health despite his long confinement in Tientsin, has been released. He is now in Peking.

A CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE.

M. Briand's solution of the financial policy consists of the appointment of a consultative committee comprising eminent financiers, commercial men, industrial leaders and bankers.

FORECAST OF CABINET.

PARIS, November 27th.

After all day long pourparlers, M. Briand has virtually succeeded in forming a Cabinet in which it is forecast that in addition to the Premiership he will be Foreign Minister, M. Louchet will be Minister of Finance, M. Painlevé Minister of War, M. Georges Eygues Minister of the Navy, and M. Leon Perier Minister of the Colonies.

THE FRANK IMPROVES.

LONDON, November 27th.

The franc in London to-day opened at 123.15/18, compared with 127.

It is not certain whether the improvement is due to official support and Continental buying or to a belief that the difficulty of forming a French Cabinet will be overcome.

LATEST CABLES.

PARIS, November 29th.

M. Briand's Cabinet-making is regarded by the newspapers as another triumph of his adroitness, as he depends on the support of the very Radicals who previously refused to follow him unless he included Socialists in his Ministry but who have now quarrelled with the Socialists.

Thus the new Cabinet will consist of moderate Republican elements.

The Communists paper *L'Humanité* remarks ironically that the Left Cartel ended eighteen months' existence with the resurrection of Briandism.

LATEST CABLES.

LATE QUEEN MOTHER.

REMARKABLE DEMONSTRATION OF POPULAR AFFECTION.

LONDON, November 29th.

Popular affection for the Royal family was never more greatly illustrated than in the remarkable demonstrations of grief at the passing of Queen Alexandra and sympathy for the King grief-stricken at his mother's death, the central figure in the prolonged ceremonies in very inclement weather.

His Majesty walked three miles along snowbound roads from Sandringham to Wolferton on Thursday. He walked yesterday from St. James' Palace, via the Mall and Whitehall to the Abbey in driving snow.

His Majesty rose early to-day to bid farewell at the station, with the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and Prince Henry, to the King of the Belgians who left for Brussels.

All stood with their hats in their hands as the train disappeared, and then immediately drove off to prepare for the journey to Windsor to attend the interment in the Albert Memorial Chapel where by the King's wish only Royal mourners will be present.

LONDON BIDS FAREWELL.

The lying in state of Queen Alexandra ended at one o'clock in the morning, but when the Abbey was closed the Gentlemen at Arms and the Yeomen of the Guard kept vigil all night long.

They were relieved at daybreak when the coffin was carried to a motor hearse for conveyance to Windsor.

A group of people with heads bared reverently bowed London's last farewell as the hearse glided from the Abbey gates.

The coffin was hidden in the folds of Queen Alexandra's standard.

A few wreaths were still in position.

Two Royal cars with court officials and one with guardsmen as coffin bearers followed.

SERVICE IN TOKYO.

Tokyo, November 29th.

A memorial service for the late Queen Alexandra was held in the English Church this morning.

Prince and Princess Kuni represented H.I.M. the Emperor and Empress; and Viscount Chinda was present on behalf of the Prince Regent.

The limited accommodation necessitated apportioning the seats among ticket-holders only.

Those present included the Premier, members of the Cabinet, high naval and military officers, government officials and the leading members of the British and Danish communities.

MAIL VIA SIBERIA.

MOSCOW DENIES DELAY OR LOSS IN TRANSIT.

REPLY TO BRADFORD.

Moscow, November 29th.

In connection with the complaint of the Bradford Chamber of Commerce, alleging that mail to the Far East via Siberia is delayed and sometimes lost, the Commissariat of Posts declares that he has not yet received any complaint of delay or loss. The average time in transit is a fortnight. There have been two cases of railway wrecks, but the mail was delayed only a few hours.

WIRELESS MEN STRIKE.

BOARD OF TRADE TAKES STRANGE ACTION.

LONDON, November 27th.

The strike of wireless operators does not involve the land stations, but the Association of Wireless and Cable Telegraphists, which called the strike, claims as members 98 per cent. of the wireless operators aboard British merchantmen.

Wireless operators have been instructed to report to the union as ships come into port and not to sign on for fresh voyages, but ships already at sea are not endangered as existing contracts will not be broken.

The opinion is expressed that if the Board of Trade insists on the full observance of the regulations with regard to the carrying of wireless operators, many ships must be held up.

It is understood that in view of the strike of wireless operators the Board of Trade has relaxed the rule requiring each vessel to carry at least three wireless operators.

The Association of Wireless and Cable Telegraphists says that approximately 500 operators up to the present have refused to renew their signatures on ships' articles, and asserts that one Liverpool, one Glasgow and two Hull boats have been held up.

The Association criticises the Board of Trade relaxation published earlier as a move in favour of shipowners which will create suspicion and ridicule of Government regulations.

The two ships held up at Hull later sailed with Board of Trade clearance.

It is reported from Liverpool that operators on the White Star boat *Celtic* are among those who refused to sign but the *Cunard*, *Alfred Holt* and *Brookbank* lines are not affected as they employ their own operators and have not given notice of any reduction in wages.

(An earlier cable stated: The Telegraphists Association has issued strike notices in the case of all wireless operators aboard British ships, and have instructed the men not to sign for further voyages pending a settlement of the dispute regarding conditions of service, including the proposed reduction of wages of 22s. 6d. monthly.)

LATEST CABLES.

FOOTBALL AT HOME.

RESULTS OF MATCHES PLAYED ON SATURDAY.

FIRST ROUND OF CUP.

LONDON, November 29th.

The following are the results of association matches played in the English and Scottish League to-day:—

THE LEAGUE (DIVISION 1.).

Arsenal, 2; Sunderland, 0.
Aston V., 3; Manchester C., 1.
Bolton V., 0; Cardiff C., 1.
Bristol U., 0; W. Brom., 1.
Leicester C., 1; Everton, 1.
Liverpool, 0; Barry, 1.
Manchester U., 2; Blackburn R., 0.
Notts C., 4; Tottenham, 2.
W. Ham. U., 2; Huddersfield T., 3.

The fixtures between Burnley and Birmingham and Newcastle United and Sheffield United were postponed.

SECOND DIVISION.

Fulham, 1; Southampton, 1.
Middlesbrough, 2; Bradford C., 5.
Preston N.E., 2; Port Vale, 2.
Preston N.E., 2; Derby C., 1.
The Wednesday, 4; Chelsea, 1.
S. Shields, 3; Nottingham F., 1.
Stockport C., 4; Blackpool, 3.
Stoke C., 3; Hull C., 1.

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Crystal P., 3; Plymouth A., 5.
SCOTTISH LEAGUE (DIVISION 1.).
Airdrieonians, 2; St. Mirren, 1.
Clydebank, 3; Queen's P.K., 0.
Dundee U., 2; Hibernians, 2.
Hamilton A., 2; Cowdenbeath, 1.
Hearts, 1; Kilmarnock, 0.
Morton, 3; Dundee, 0.
Partick T., 2; Motherwell, 1.
Raith R., 0; Aberdeen, 1.
Bangor, 3; Falkirk, 3.
St. Johnstone, 0; Celtic, 3.

ASSOCIATION CUP.

Following are the results of the matches played in the first round of the Competition Proper, of the Football Association Cup:—

Blyth Spartans, 2; Hartlepool U., 2.
Carlisle U., 0; Chilton Coll., 2.
Horden P., 2; Darlington, 2.
New Brighton, 3; Barrow, 2.
Oxford A., 0; Lytham, 1.
Tranmere R., 0; Crewe A., 0.
Southport, 1; Mold, 0.
Accrington S., 4; Wrexham, 0.
Wigan B., 0; Nelson, 1.
Widnes, 0; Rotherham U., 0.
Coventry C., 0; Halifax T., 3.
Boston, 5; Mansfield T., 2.
Wath A., 0; Chesterfield, 5.
Doncaster R., 2; Wellington, 0.
Northampton T., 3; Barnsley, 1.
Worcester C., 0; Kettering T., 0.
Bradford, 2; Lincoln C., 2.
Leyton, 1; St. Alban's C., 0.
Clapton, 3; Norwich C., 1.
Brentford, 3; Barnet, 1.
Charlton A., 4; Windsor and E., 2.
Gillingham, 0; Seaford, 0.
London C., 0; Folkestone, 0.
Luton T., 2; Hove, 1; Watford, 1.
Brighton and Hove, 2; Queens' P.K., 2.
Northfleet U., 2; Queens' P.K., 2.
Chatham, 0; Sittingbourne, 3.
Southend U., 5; Dulwich H., 1.
Aberdare A., 4; Bristol R., 1.
Weymouth, 0; Newport C., 1.
Torquay U., 1; Reading, 1.
Bournemouth, 3; Merthyr T., 0.
Farnham U.B., 1; Swindon T., 10.
Exeter C., 1; Swansea T., 3.

The matches between South Bank and Stockton and Durham City vs. Ashington were postponed owing to frost.

The Rochdale-West Stanley fixture was abandoned at half-time owing to the dangerous state of the ground, with the score one all.

Walsall and Grimsby Town abandoned their fixture.

ANILINE DYES.

BADISCHE WORKS AMALGAMATE WITH FIVE OTHERS.

BERLIN, November 29th.

The Badische Aniline Works have sanctioned the fusion with five other Dye Companies and the necessary increase of capital for the purpose. This will make the capital of the new concern 632,000,000 marks.

EARLIER CABLES.

ANGLO-GERMAN TRADE.

HITCH REPORTED OVER CLAUSE OF AGREEMENT.

BERLIN, November 27th.

It is semi-officially stated that negotiations between the British and German delegations on questions arising out of the Anglo-German trade agreement have been provisionally broken off owing to differences of opinion with regard to the interpretation of various points in the protocol, although understanding was reached with regard to the application of the respective customs tariffs.

LATER.

The disagreement related to the interpretation of a clause in the protocol of the Anglo-German commercial treaty whereby the British Government pledged itself not to impose duties especially detrimental to Germany.

The German delegates claimed that the British customs duties on many German exports, especially musical instruments and pianos, should be abrogated or considerably reduced in view of this clause.

LATEST CABLES.

FUTURE OF RUBBER.

BRITISH AND DUTCH MORE IN CO-OPERATION.

LONDON, November 29th.

The *Manchester Guardian* says the recent threat of the Firestone Tyre Company to compete in rubber supplies in the far future can be dismissed as unimportant.

In Mining Lane, on the other hand, there have recently been developments indicating more co-operation between British and Dutch rubber producing industries.

When the restriction was removed powerful London interests secured a hold among Dutch plantations through the recent stream of new issues.

LANCASHIRE COTTON.

VOTING FOR CURTAILMENT IS HELD NOT SUFFICIENT.

LONDON, November 29th.

The actual voting at Manchester cabled earlier was 73,000 to 29,000 in favour of curtailment, which the committee, however, decided was not sufficient to justify a change.

(An earlier cable stated: A meeting of the Master Cotton Spinners' Association at Manchester decided by a large majority against the proposal for control of the Lancashire cotton spinning industry on the principle of the wartime cotton control board including operatives and representatives. The American section bolted heavily in favour of the proposal to reduce the hours from 39½ to 35 per week.)

MANCHESTER MEETING.

RACES ABANDONED OWING TO HARD FROST.

LONDON, November 29th.

The Manchester races, including the November handicap, have been abandoned on account of frost.

IRISH GAOL RAIDED.

NINETEEN PRISONERS RELEASED AT MOUNT JOY.

DUBLIN, November 29th.

Armed raiders in the uniform of the Civil Guard last night obtained admittance to Mount Joy prison by presenting themselves with pretended prisoners.

They then held up the warders with revolvers and quickly searched the prison. They hurried nineteen prisoners into waiting motor-cars and escaped.

The police are searching the district but up to the present they have had no success.

LOCARNO AGREEMENT.

NECESSARY GERMAN SIGNATURES OBTAINED.

BERLIN, November 29th.

President von Hindenburg, the Chancellor (Dr. Luther) and Herr Stresemann (Foreign Secretary) have signed the legislation for the Locarno Agreement.

EVACUATION OF COLOGNE.

COLOGNE, November 29th.

The evacuation of the Cologne Zone begins to-morrow.

SYDNEY STRIKE ENDS.

BRITISH SEAMEN ACCEPT OWNERS' TERMS.

SYDNEY, November 29th.

The British seamen's strike has ended, the men resuming work on the owners' terms.

EARLIER CABLES.

GERMANY AND LEAGUE.

REICHSTAG APPROVES ENTRY BY BIG MAJORITY.

BERLIN, November 27th.

The Reichstag by 278 to 180 votes approved Germany's entry into the League of Nations.

LATER.

The Reichstag passed the third reading of the Bill ratifying the Locarno treaties by 320 to 174 votes.

The Reichstag by 291 to 174 votes passed the third reading of the Locarno Bill embracing the security pact, the arbitration treaties and Germany's entry into the League, in practically full house.

The galleries were assigned to the diplomatic corps. The public crowded to be present.

Dr. Luther and Herr Stresemann go to London on Sunday to sign the treaty after which the Government will resign to make room for all sections of the Coalition in favour of the treaty.

SEARCH FOR SCHOONER.

DUTCH NAVAL VESSEL IS STILL MISSING.

AMSTERDAM, November 27th.

Two torpedo-boats and the cruiser *Hermak* are searching in the neighbourhood of the island of Terschelling for the naval pilot schooner which left there early on Tuesday with a crew of thirteen including a captain, chief officer and four pilots, and is feared to have been lost. A lifebuoy and the schooner's dinghy have been washed ashore. It is surmised that the vessel was sunk in a gale at night by a British schooner.

WEATHER REPORT.

The Royal Observatory issued the following report at 5.27 p.m. yesterday: The depression over Japan has moved Northward and now covers Hokkaido. The anticyclone over China has weakened slightly. Moderate N.E. winds will continue in Formosa Channel along the S.E. and South Coast of China and over the China Sea.

Local forecast: N.E. winds, moderate, fair.

THE OCEAN MAID.

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THE OCEAN MAID.

The total output of the Kailan Mining Administration's mines for the week ending November 14th amounted to 67,478 tons, and the sales to 64,580 tons.

LATEST CABLES.

BOMBAY MILL-OWNERS.

CONFERENCE WITH STRIKERS IS ABANDONED.

BOMBAY, November 29th.

The conference between representatives of the mill-owners and the textile strikers, with a view to a settlement, has been adjourned *sine die*.

Both sides refuse to yield.

EARLIER CABLES.

NEW DUTIES PROPOSED.

SAFEGUARDING OF INDUSTRIES SUGGESTIONS.

LONDON, November 27th.

The five Board of Trade committees of inquiry into applications under the Safeguarding of Industries Act have issued their conclusion. They recommend a duty of 17½ per cent. *ad valorem* on packing and wrapping paper subject to certain exceptions, and, on the understanding that the duty also extend to wrapping paper in manufactured articles whenever the cost of such paper as raw material exceeds, say, fifteen per cent. of the value of the manufactured article of which it is component.

CUTLERY TAXES.

A duty is proposed of 3½ per cent. *ad valorem* for at least five years on certain classes of cutlery, including knives, except surgical knives and knives for use in machines, scissors, razors and carving forks; also on leather and cotton fabric gloves, but not silk or artificial silk fabric gloves, which the reporting committee considers are already sufficiently protected. The committees rejected a claim for duty on aluminium hollow ware, while the report of the committee on gas mantles is somewhat indefinite.

LATEST CABLES.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

U.S. NAVAL MANEUVERES.

PROGRAMME FOR NEXT YEAR ABANDONED.

WASHINGTON, November 29th.

The Navy Department announces that the heavy cost of the manoeuvres off Hawaii and the subsequent cruise of the Fleet to Australasia, together with other considerations of economy, preclude the possibility of any extensive naval manoeuvres off the west coast of South America to be abandoned.

It is intended to carry out extensive manoeuvres in 1927 with the army participating.

They probably will be held off the East Coast of the United States with a view to testing the defenses of New England.

SMUGGLED IN COFFINS.

SENSATIONAL DISCOVERY MADE BY U.S. OFFICIAL.

CHINESE FOR AMERICA.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 29th.

Following the receipt of information from abroad that a scheme was afoot to smuggle Chinese into America, the local director of immigration at Hawaii led a party of searchers over a vessel arriving from the Far East.

They had twice ransacked the vessel from top to bottom without success and were about to leave when a searcher in the deepest hold accidentally knocked the top off one of a row of coffins.

The corpse proved to be a young Chinese snugly ensconced with food and baggage. Ten more coffins contained similar contraband.

The authorities hold the opinion that they have unearthed a gigantic conspiracy to smuggle aliens directed by an agency in the Orient which liberally bribes seamen on a *per capita* basis.

AN ALLEGED RUM-RUNNER.

BRITISH SCHOONER RELEASED BY U.S.A. AUTHORITIES.

NEW LONDON, CONN., November 29th.

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SCOTTISH VOLUNTEERS.

PARADE AT THE UNION CHURCH.

REV. J. KIRK MACONACHIE ON
"NATIONALISM."

Members of the Scottish Company of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, numbering nearly 100, held their annual church parade yesterday morning. Under Capt. J. B. Ross, the Company marched from Headquarters to the Union Church in Kennedy Road. During the service special old Scottish hymns were sung.

The Rev. J. Kirk Maconachie in his address on "Nationalism and Internationalism," said:—
He hath made of one every nation of men for to dwell on the face of the earth, having determined their appointed seasons, and the bounds of their habitations; that they should seek God, if haply they might feel after Him, and find Him, though He is not far from each one of us: "For in Him we live, and move, and have our being."—Acts 17:26-28.

On this occasion a year ago, as some, possibly, may remember, the subject of my address was "Citizen Soldiership." Having then lately been in Shanghai, where war was at the very gates, the advantages, indeed the necessity of a Volunteer Defence Corps had been vividly brought home to me, and I remarked that in a Colony situated like ours here volunteering is not mere game, but a serious business which might at any time become very serious.

Since then, unhappily, that has been proved too true. Both the great northern ports and our Colony here have had need of all the strength at their command. Thank God, violence had not actually to be met with violence, but disorder and rapine were kept in check by the knowledge that strength was at hand, if need were, to suppress them.

It is not for those of us who were far away during the severe troubles of recent months to enlarge on what was owing to the Defence Corps in security and to the sense of security, and also as a demonstration that you colonists were able and determined to help yourselves. The work of the volunteers is known and honoured; it is the fitting on the present occasion to make mention of it, and just to add that the demands of these times must have invested the business of the citizen soldier with an even sharper sense of reality in his own mind, and stirred him up to take his duties even more keenly than before.

TREACHEROUSNESS OF WORDS.

Now, last year, if I may revert again to that occasion, something else was brought home to me. That was the treacherousness of words, not a new discovery by any means. I found that in speaking encouragingly of our citizen soldiery I was taken by some to have in some way, I can't imagine how, slighted or even disparaged the regular forces, military and naval of the Crown. Anything of the sort is, of course, as remote as possible from the mind of any of us. The trouble in all such cases is that the last thing in one's own mind is apt to be the very first in someone else's. Try as you may you can never be sure that your words will convey your thoughts to everyone else.

We are all supersensitive when some one aspect of a subject is to the fore, and invidious comparisons are surmised, where they do not exist. So once for all let it be said that we should be ungrateful indeed if we forget for a moment what our Colony owes to its garrison and its fleet, as also, one might add, to its regular police. They are, our security in the last resort, as we all know. There is also a place, and an important one, for the Volunteer companies, and on behalf of this Church, representing, I am sure, the spirit of the whole Colony, I will give myself the pleasure of saying that no man is more welcome here at any time than the man who wears the King's uniform, whether it marks his chosen profession or shews what he does with his spare time.

Now there is another risky subject liable to come up on these occasions. That is the subject of nationality, one phase of which is the concern of our scripture text.

AN ABUSIVE LETTER.

Last mail brought me from London the most deplorable production in the way even of anonymous letters that I have ever seen. It is signed "A Chinaman in Great Britain," and I appear to have incurred his unmeasured hatred for protesting against the treatment which our country and in particular this Colony has been receiving out here. I am characterised in terms quite unquotable—not that I want to quote them—the mildest thought to a good Scot "the most unkindest cut of all" being that I am classed as an "English swine"! My name, says the writer, has been forwarded to Canton "with full particulars," and I am to be "handled," he declares, something pleasant with bayonets, being hinted at. I read this communication with real distress that a fellow creature should be in such a horrible state of mind. Only pity is to be felt for such a case, but it would be interesting to know what the man would think if he were told that the object of his abuse has heard himself characterised as "pro-Chinese," whatever that may mean, before now, and has had it hinted by some whom he is addressing at this moment that he did too much for his non-British neighbours. Truly it would seem that patriotism, which is among the noblest, may easily become the most degraded of human sentiments, pervertible at a touch into the sourest and ugliest feelings that can desolate a soul.

The instance just given may be extreme, having behind it what my correspondent calls "the glorious Soviet Government of Moscow," from which extremes are to be expected. But on quite another plane it is the easiest thing in the world to give unintended offence when anything has to be said in connection with a St. George's, St. Andrew's or suchlike celebration, as some of us have found. I think in Hongkong we understand each other pretty well by now and go through our national dances without much treading on toes, letting our local patriotisms bring variety into the common life, which is as it should be.

Local patriotisms are extraordinarily persistent everywhere, and in right measure it is good that they should persist. If you have lived in the north of England you will have learnt that the Wars of the Roses are by no means dead, though happily they are waged only in the healthful emulation of sport and commerce. Down in Cornwall the visitor may still be called a "foreigner," but he is hospitably received though from the wrong side, that is the east side of the Tamar. When Scot meets Scot the first question is what part of the old land do you come from, and a perceptible rise in temperature occurs if both hail from the same quarter—being myself from a remote and thinly peopled region I have to disappoint most of my friends in that respect, but they are very good about it: we can't all be born in Greenock!

There was a time—and not so very far back as history counts—when neighbouring parishes were more or less in a state of constant feud, not to mention the strife between Highland and Lowland, York and Lancaster, Scottish and English. China to this day is torn by provincial jealousies, sub-divided further by the feuds of village with village, clan with clan, and summing up into the immemorial antagonisms between North and South. In every part of the world these divergences exist, sometimes only cumulative and innocent, but too often still in the primitive phase when they are poisonous and disruptive.

THE WAR'S LEGACY.

The Great War has left us a large legacy in this respect, of mixed quality, as we have too much cause to know. The principle of self-determination was laid down in the interests especially of the smaller and weaker peoples, intended to further them in liberty and self-respect. The intention was sincere and we must believe the results will ultimately prove to be wholesome, but for the present the world is sadly disturbed in the process of readjustment. For the exclusive and aggressive aspects of self-determination are for the moment the more conspicuous. National self-consciousness has been stimulated, and naturally at first its touchy and thorny manifestations are accentuated. All this combines with the economic pressures which always result from war, and so instead of the world which was to have been so much better world, living in, we have a world bedeviled by misunderstandings, torn by walls and restrictions upon migrations, a world in which you can go nowhere without a passport and are called upon at every border to prove that you are not a criminal, an anarchist, a pauper, or something else which is objected to.

For the time being this is so: we have right to hope and a duty to labour that it be not so for ever. For after all the world is one, mankind is one, the God who made them for each other is one, and things simply cannot go on for ever in the denial of these unescapable bottom facts which the existing condition of humanity tempered by self-interest betokens. Here in our text these, three great unities—God, the world, mankind—were laid down by the great Christian Apostle to a great audience in the capital of ancient Greece. It was new to them, for, like the ancient world at large, they worshipped many Gods, believed to protect or patronise different places, races, countries, with divergent interests.

WHAT HISTORY PROVES.

Clear against the popular prejudice was the teaching that God had made of one every nation of men to dwell on the face of the earth. The Greeks regarded themselves as at the acme of culture and civilisation and the rest of mankind as barbarians—and any nation which takes that attitude prepares for itself a fall from pride into confusion and humiliation, as history has often proved.

Now these three great unities stand fast and irremovable. They have been perceived with less or greater clearness by men of insight and genius in every age; they are confirmed increasingly by the advancing science and philosophy of our own time. If they hold good, and no weapon formed against them has prospered; they leave no place for nationalism of the vulgar, contemptuous type, based upon narrow ignorance and self-conceit, and producing a crop of poison weed to spoil our harvests of good grain.

That is so, but nationalism of the right kind is not thereby destroyed or even deprecated. In reaction from nationalism overcome we are being urged to accept a nebulous cosmopolitanism which promises much but it is to be feared would perform little for assuaging the troubles and augmenting the dignity of human life.

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HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

November 29th, 1925.	
Hongkong Bank	\$1,050 sa.
Do. London	\$131 nom.
Chartered Bank	\$230 nom.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B.	\$294 nom.
Do. O.	\$218 nom.
P. & O. Bank	\$294 nom.
East Asia Bank	\$35 nom.
Canton Insurance	\$500 nom.
China Underwriters	\$3 buy, 3.05 sa.
North China Insurance	\$140 nom.
Union Insurance	\$349 buy, 2,825 sa.
Yangtze Insurance	\$35 buy.
China Fire Insurance	\$180 nom.
Hongkong Fire Insurance	\$800 nom.
Douglases	\$40 nom.
H.K. C. & M. Steamboat	\$24 buy.
Hongkong Tug	\$44 nom.
Indo-China (Fret.)	\$38 nom.
Do. (Def.), London	\$70 nom.
Do. Hongkong	\$70 nom.
Shell Transport	\$87 buy.
Star Lines	\$54 buy.
Wetcoats	\$16 buy.
Oriental Navigations	\$250 nom.
China Sugar	\$35 sel.
Malayan Sugar	\$48 nom.
Benguet	\$9 nom.
Kailash Mining Ad.	\$40 nom.
Langkate (combined)	\$12 sa.
Do. (single)	\$12 buy.
Shanghai Exports	\$15.10 buy, 52 sel.
Shanghai Loans	\$8 nom.
Rails	\$5 buy.
Tromph Mines	\$60 nom.
Ural Caspian	\$7 nom.
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H.K. & W. Docks	\$12 buy, 12 sa.
Hongkong	\$12 buy.
New Engineering	\$71 buy.
Shanghai Docks	\$117 buy.
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Hongkong Lands	\$37 buy.
Hongkong Realty (cp.)	\$35 nom.
H.K. Territorial (p.)	\$5 buy.
Empire Estates	\$16 nom.
Prince's Buildings	\$100 nom.
Rural Lands	\$7 sa.
Evo Cottons	\$10.60 nom.
Oriental	\$13.36 sa.
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Do. (new)	\$15.33 buy.
Amusements	\$10 buy.
Canton Ice	\$74 nom.
Cementa (combined)	\$14 buy.
Do. (old)	\$18 nom.
Do. (new)	\$20 nom.
China Press	\$104 buy.
China Lights (combined)	\$21 sel.
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Peak Tram (old)	\$154 buy.
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Taxis	\$5 sel.
United Asbestos	\$20 nom.
Watsons (old)	\$18 sel.
Do. (new)	\$18 sel.
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SINGAPORE SHARE QUOTATIONS.

A RAUB DIVIDEND.

Messrs. Carroll Bros. are in receipt of a cable from their Singapore friends notifying that the Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd., have declared a dividend of 5 per cent. which Messrs. Carroll believe is the first they have paid since 1910. These shares, they add, have jumped from \$4 to \$6.50 buyers with no sellers at present.

RUBBERS.

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"Internationalism" is a good word which has fallen on evil days, like "Communism" and some others. In the name of it, specialised and restricted as it has been, we are asked to root out some of the deepest and mightiest of the impulses and affections which belong to our very make-up as men and women.

You cannot drive out nature with a fork," says the old Latin proverb, and you cannot expel the love of country from the heart of a man who is a man without disintegrating his very soul.

Nationalism is a thing which can be travestied, abused, debased, distorted and exaggerated it is subject of easy ridicule; wrongly directed it becomes a fruitful cause of offence. But it is one of the fundamental elements in the motives and the actions of men, and vast would be the blank in the tale of all which humanity has rightly delighted to honour were its noble record expunged from the memory of our race.

If we are to abandon everything which can be perverted or abused it is hard to see what would remain to relieve the nausea of a stale, flat and profitless existence. Mr. H. G. Wells, at a dinner given six weeks ago by a Chinese students' organisation in London, spoke of national spirit as a disease, which he hoped would not spread to China. Whatever his hopes a new national spirit is certainly arising in China, and though for the moment it seems fanatical and unreasoning some of us regard it as a healthier symptom than the ancient racial variety which has done China so much harm, founded as it was on an ignorance due to isolation from the rest of the world.

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SCOTTISH VOLUNTEERS.

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The bottom instincts of human nature are not to be dismissed as mere symptoms of disheath. If patriotism be a disease, it is also the beating of the heart and the functioning of the brain. Men cannot argue themselves out of it, even in after dinner speeches to callow and credulous audiences. The thing is too deep for argument, and while mind and memory remain to man love of the land that nurtured us, stronger even than the love of life, can never be rooted out. Let a man once be deprived of the citizenship he undervalues, let him go out to his international world deprived of the outward protection and inner self-respect which he owes to the land of his fathers, in spite of all his theories he will view like the captive of Babylon of old, "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning; let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth!"

LOVE OF COUNTRY.

Now it is often said, or assumed, that our holy religion, teaching, as it does, the brotherhood of all men, discourages or even forbids all special love of country. But to go no farther, just take the case of this great missionary Apostle from one of whose missionary addresses comes this morning's text. How does he describe himself? A citizen of Tarsus by birth and in that sense a Roman born, proud of his privileges and loyal to the Imperial Government under which he held them. But, "An Hebrew of the Hebrews, of the stock of Abraham of the tribe of Benjamin," and valuing that inheritance second only to his knowledge of Christ. "Brethren," we find him protesting, "my heart's desire and prayer for Israel is, that they may be saved"; and again, in words, "I could wish myself anathema from Christ for my brethren's sake my kinsmen according to the flesh." This man had a heart for the whole world, but he felt and acknowledged a peculiar obligation to his own people.

The two things are nowise inconsistent except to narrow souls, as indeed the example of the Lord Himself impresses on us. He whom we rightly call the Saviour of the world came in the first instance "to His own." The bitterest drop in His cup was that His own would not receive Him, and there is no more affecting incident in His earthly story than when toward the last He wept in sorrow over the city which knew not that day of its visitation. It is our hope that in Him, the Divine Head of our race, all the scattered, warring tribes of men will be reconciled, warring tribes of men becoming reconciled by God Who has made them all and given them each their place of service.

UGLY JEALOUSIES OF PAST.

But that desired consummation will not be furthered by stifling or denying the Divinely implanted love of country, which indeed is too often perverted into enmity toward others but which in itself is beneficently designed for the enrichment of the common heritage. In the countries which make up our own Homeland that great object has been substantially attained. The ugly jealousies and bloody strife of past centuries are gone for ever, and we are left with healthy, emulation and hearty co-operation for our common weal. For that we humbly thank the God of our fathers—no tribal deity or symbol of self-glorification, but the God and Father of every race of men, revealed to us in the Son of His love. Our name as a people is besmirched in these parts to-day with unfair and unmerited misrepresentation, but it can be said in all sincerity and seriousness that our hearts would be rejoiced to see a similar unity achieved in the vast and as yet divided regions of China. Mr. Wells, in the singularly ill-informed and ill-judged address I referred to, took on him to apologise for his country's opposition to Chinese national aspirations. If he knew the truth he would know that there is nothing which all of us more honestly desire than to see China become a nation indeed, with an ordered life, a unified society, a stable and authoritative government.

The anonymous correspondent I mentioned earlier concludes his misguided sheet, "Up the Chinese!" I echo that from the bottom of my heart. You all echo it. Unhappily, the notion elevating the Chinese involves, he says, the baseness of the rest of us. We can hardly fall in with that. We do most heartily hope, and I say many of us labour, to see the Chinese people rise to their possibilities and qualified for the honourable place in the family of nations which in the nature and providence lies before them. Whatever may be said to these the mind of our countrymen toward the Chinese people have of kindly feeling and goodwill, and therefore inevitably felt despairing and grieved at finding our will led out as the object of and at all the woes of China its door.

Let us trust that timepieces will prevail, as, in the end, the so essentially sane as the Chinese they surely must hope. We must cherish affections for the alleviating of evil which at the momenting evil afflict our world. For it and good will come, if time—work for it, in God's way. "Then let us pray. As come it will, I'd o'er That man to match that!" Shall brothers?



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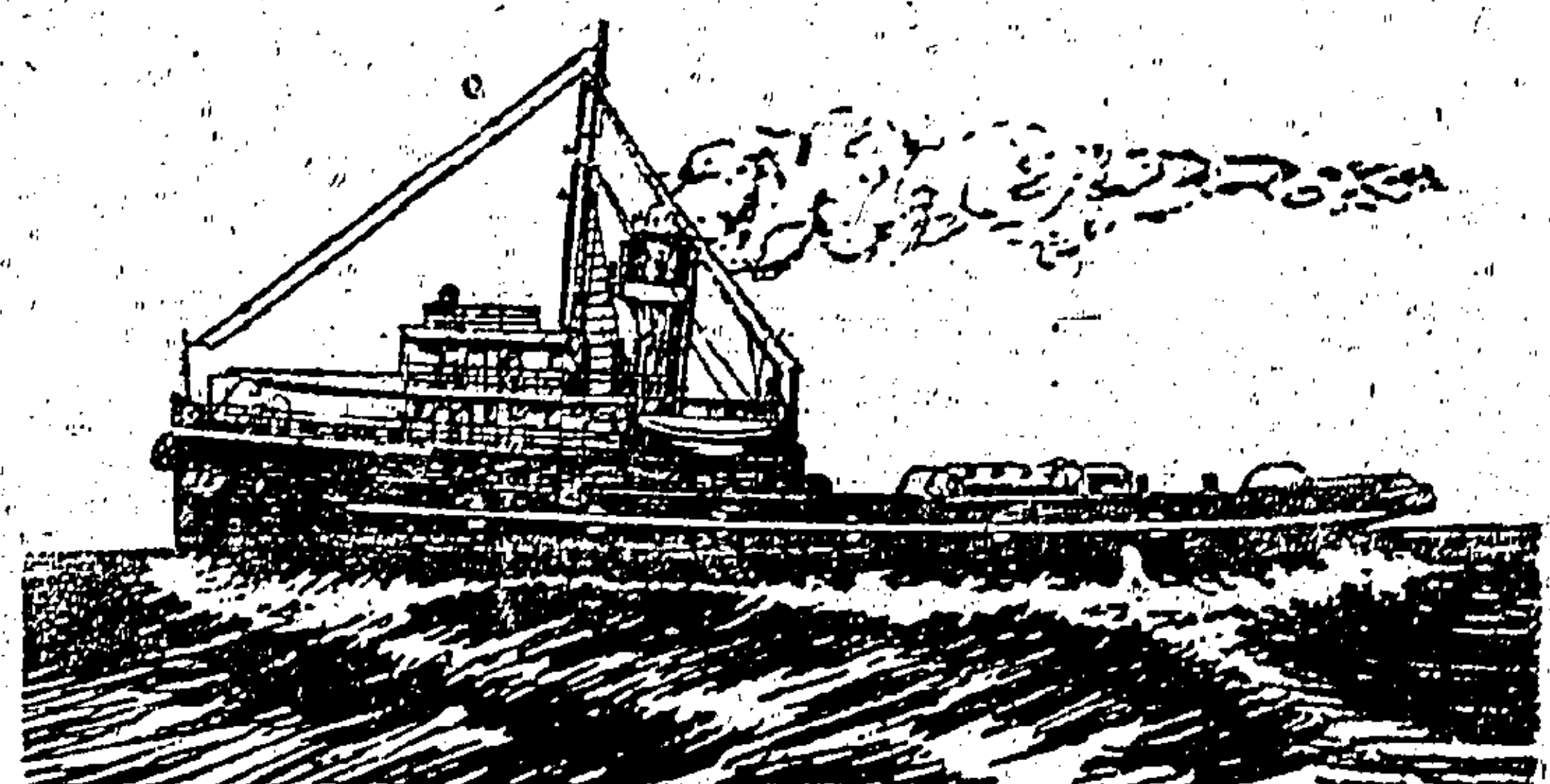
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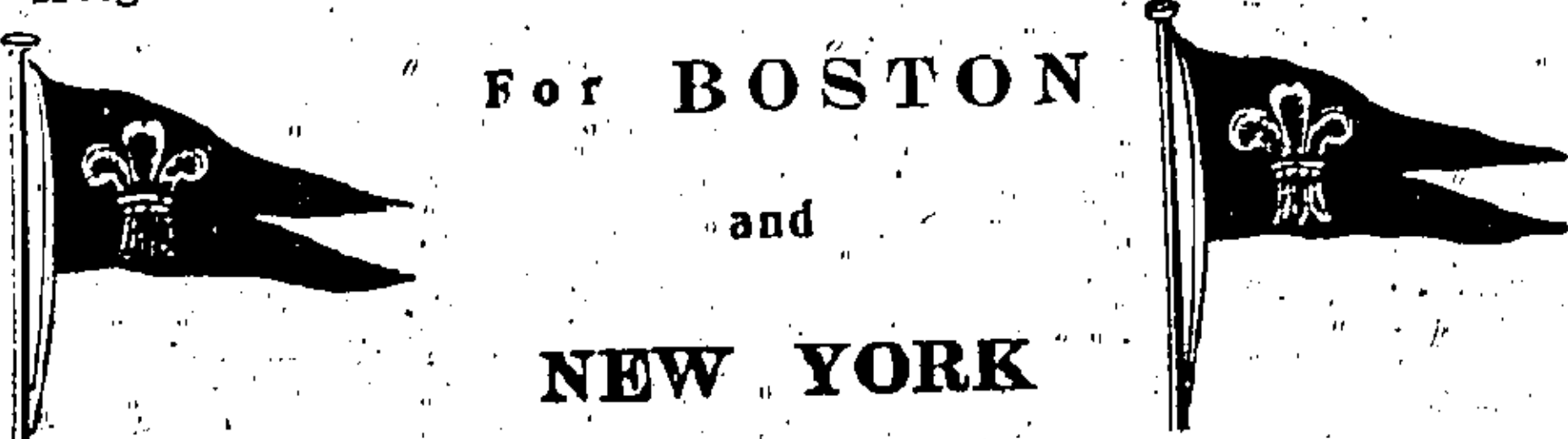
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